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(Rule 53(b) Continuation or Divisional)

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Attorney Docket No.: **BEU/HECK3001**
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This requests a ☐ Continuation or ☐ Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of prior application:

Appl. No.:	09/023,430	Group Art Unit:	2872
Filed on:	February 13, 1998	Examiner:	J. Henry

Entitled: **Data Carrier having An Optically Variable Element And Methods For Producing It**

- ☒ 1. The entire disclosure of the pending, prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.
- ☐ 2. Submitted herewith is a copy of the complete prior application as filed.
- ☐ 3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application, 37 CFR 1.53(b)(1). **DELETE** the following inventor(s): _____
- ☒ 4. Submitted herewith is a copy of the signed Oath/Declaration from the prior application.
- ☒ 5. A _____ month Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently in the prior application.
- ☒ 6. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.
- ☒ 7. A check in the amount of \$ 3,344.00 is submitted herewith.
- ☐ 8. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Division of nonprovisional application serial number _____ filed _____ --
- ☐ 9. Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. At least one independent claim is retained.
- ☒ 10. The prior application is assigned of record to: GAO Gesellschaft für Automation und Organisation MbH
- ☒ 11. Priority is claimed based on each foreign application so listed in the Oath/Declaration and a certified copy of each was filed in U.S. application number 07/590,351 filed September 28, 1990
- ☒ 12. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☒ 13. Other: APPENDIX A (CLEAN COPY OF AMENDED PARAGRAPHS); APPENDIX B (MARKED UP COPY OF AMENDED PARAGRAPHS); REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY AND APPOINTMENT OF NEW ATTORNEY

THE FILING FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

Basic Fee: **\$740.00**

Total Claims:	<u>76</u>	<u>- 20 =</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>X \$18 =</u>	<u>\$1,008.00</u>
Independent Claims:	<u>22</u>	<u>- 3 =</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>X \$84 =</u>	<u>\$1,596.00</u>

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Multiple Dependent Claim (\$280.00):

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